

The Daily Courant.

Friday, August 8. 1707.

DUBLIN.

ON Saturday July 26. Mr. Conelly made a Report from the Committee of the House of Commons appointed to inspect the publick Accounts of the Nation: which Report is as followeth.

In Obedience to the Order of this House the Committee for taking into their Consideration the publick Accounts of the Nation, have met and divided themselves into several Sub-Committees, to give the quicker Dispatch to that great Affair committed to their Charge, and have (as fully as the time granted would allow them) examined the Particulars following. (Which were deliver'd in at the Table and read.)

No. 1. The several Reports relating to the Accounts of Imports and Exports and all other Branches of the Revenue from Michaelmas 1705, to Michaelmas 1707.

No. 2. The several Reports relating to the Particular Sums paid by the Queen's Letters, &c.

No. 3. The Report upon the Account of Barracks.

No. 4. The Report relating to the Ordnance.

No. 5. The Report upon inspecting the Ballance of the last Account.

No. 6. The Report upon the particular times when the Officers and Soldiers were taken off the Establishment, and when others were put on.

No. 7. The Resolutions upon Reading the last Establishment of the Year 1704. there being no other produced.

Upon the whole the Committee observe.

That the Publick Accounts laid before the House and refer'd to this Committee, are in so confus'd a Manner and Method that they create a very great Trouble and Difficulty; and no Account brought to Ballance; and tho' the Publick Officers have been call'd upon, and demanded why the Accounts of the Nation are not brought to a Ballance, they say it is not their Business.

The Committee are humbly of Opinion that the House be moved, that a proper Officer be appointed who may stand oblig'd to Ballance the Accounts of the Nation, and lay them before the House in a just and proper Method.

Your Committee have ordered me to report the Estate of the Account Currant of the Debt and Credit of the Nation as it appear'd to them by the several Papers that were deliver'd into this House by the proper Officers, and that this Committee have thought fit to carry the Account forward to Michaelmas next, the several Particulars of which Debt and Account the shortness of the Time will not allow them strictly to examine.

By the State of the Civil and Military Lifts at Midsummer 1707. delivered at the Barr by Mr. Pratt, Deputy Receiver-General the 12th of July

1707. there is returned due to the Civil and Military Lift at Midsummer 1707, the Sum of 129916 l. 4 s. 1 d. 5-8.

By the general View laid before the House by Thomas Keightley Esq; the 12th July Instant, Entituled a general View of the Account currant of Her Majesty's Revenue in Ireland for six Months, ending Midsummer 1707, there is return'd in Cash and solvend Arrears, 98400 l.

Which being deducted, the Nation was return'd by the said Account to be indebted at Midsummer last 31516 l. 4 s. 1 d. 5-8.

The Committee are of Opinion they ought not to be Charged with the old Debt of 8470 l. 6 s. demanded by the Ordnance of England which is included in the above 129916 l. 4 s. 1 d. 5-8. and that the same ought not to have been returned in Charge upon them, which being deducted out of the above 31516 l. 4 s. 1 d. 5-8. there remains 23045 l. 18 s. 1 d. 5-8.

I am also Ordered to observe that in the said General View, there is only brought to account one half of the whole Year's Hearth-Money due the 10th of January last, whereas they are of Opinion, the whole Year's Hearth-Money then due, ought to have been brought to Account, which would have added to the Credit of the Nation the Sum of 15760 l.

And then the Debt of the Nation would have appear'd at Midsummer last, to be no more than the Sum of 7285 l. 18 s. 1 d. 5-8.

By the Account No. 1. it appears that after Credit given for the above Ballance of 7285 l. 18 s. 1 d. 5-8. till Michaelmas 1707. there will remain above the Charge of the Establishment to Michaelmas 1707. inclusive, the Sum of 35029 l. 3 s. 4 d. in which is included Three Quarters of a Year's Hearth Money comencing the 10th of January 1706. and not Collectable till the 10th of January, 1707. amounting to 23640 l. clear of the Charge of Management, which if Deducted out of the above 35029 l. 3 s. 4 d. there will Remain due to the Nation at Michaelmas next ----- 11389 l. 3 s.

Ordered, That the said Report and the said Seven several Abstracts or Reports from the Sub-Committees be referred to the Committee of the whole House, appointed to take into Consideration the Supply granted to Her Majesty and also his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant's Speech.

Dublin, July 31. The 28th the Committee went on the Supply, and resolv'd, That the Funds formerly granted by Parliament, and the Revenue of the Kingdom, are sufficient to support the Government, and discharge the Publick Debts to and for Michaelmas 1707. Resolv'd, That the Supply granted to her Majesty be a Sum sufficient to make good the necessary Branches of the Establishment from Michaelmas 1707. to and for Midsummer 1709. To which Resolution the House agreed.

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Kinsale, July 29. Yesterday arriv'd the under-
named Merchant Ships under Convoy of Her Majesty's
Ship the Greyhound, Captain Harryort Commander.

The Bonadventure, of 30 Tuns, Tho. Rogers
Master, with Sugar, Cotton, &c. for Bristol; George
Galley, of 140 Tuns, Alexander Finley Master,
with Sugar for London; Deceiver, of 60 Tuns,
Palatyn Kinsman Master, with Sugar for London;
Peter and Elizabeth, of 40 Tuns, John Chapman
Master, with Sugar, Cotton, &c. for London; Con-
stant Rachel, of 60 Tuns, John Fairwerther Master,
for London; Society of Bolton, of 100 Tuns, John
Carney Master, with Sugar for London; William
Galley, of 100 Tuns, John Parker Master, with
Sugar for Liverpool; the Eagle Pink, of 120 Tuns,
Richard Harris Master, with Sugar, Ginger, Cot-
ton, &c. for Liverpool; Rebecca, of 40 Tuns, John
Johnson Master, with Sugar and Cotton for Liver-
pool: All 9 from Antegoa. Two Brothers, of 50
Tuns, John Wright Master, from St. Christophers
with Sugar for Liverpool. The Anthony Galley of
90 Tuns, Alexander Alford Master, from Mont-
Serrat with Sugar for London. Elizabeth and Mary
of 100 Tuns, John Stephens Master, with Sugar
and Ginger for London; Tryal, of 80 Tuns, David
Bucklin Master, with Sugar for London; Both
from Barbadoes.

Cork, July 29. Two West-India Ships put into our
Harbour Yesterday, the rest of that Fleet put into
Kinsale, being in all about 16 Sail. I hear no News
but that Provisions are dear in the Islands.

London, August 8.

'An Extract of a Letter from a Master of one
'of the Russia Ships said in our last to be taken by
'the French Dunkirk Squadron.

North-Shields, August 2. This brings the bad
News of my Ship's being taken, and 14 more by
M. Forbin's Squadron, consisting of 7 Sail of Men
of War, on the Coast of Lapland in the Island Kil-
dine, in the Latitude of 69 Degrees 40 Minutes
the 11th of July. The rest of the Fleet (consisting
of above 40 Ships, with their Convoy of 3 Men of
War Captain Haddock Commadore) had a mighty
Deliverance by a hard Gale springing up and a
thick Fog, which made the Enemy lose Sight of
them. The French got between them and us,
otherwise we had escap'd. The French pursued and
took us, some in the Harbour of Kildine; they
burnt the Czar's Ship: They gave us a Flyboat
to carry us to Archangel, but we came directly for
England. We set sail from the Island Kildine the
19th and arriv'd here to Day. The French said
they would stay there till the Month of October.

By her Majesty's Company of Comedians.

AT the Queen's Theatre in the Hay-Mar-
ket, this present Friday, being the 8th of August, will be
presented, the last Reviv'd Play call'd, The Unfortunate Dutchess of
Malvey. Reviv'd with Alterations. The principal Parts to be per-
form'd by Mr. Verbruggen, Mr. Mills, Mr. Booth, Mr. Keene, Mr.
Cory, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Bullock, Mr. Bowen, Mr. Pack, Mr. Fairbank,
Mr. Cross, Mrs. Porter, and Mrs. Powell.

Lost a Note, dated August 6. 1707. for 28 l. 2 s.
Payable to Nathaniel Johnson or Bearer on Demand, Sign'd by Samuel
Cooke, for his Masters, Ward and Glading, payment being stop'd:
Whoever brings the said Note to Mr. Ward and Glading on Fifth-street
Hill, or Mr. Stone and Martin in Lombard-street, shall receive 10 s.
Reward.

Dropt out of a Gentleman's Pocker, Yesterday a-
bout Two a Clock in the Afternoon, between Temple Bar and the
New Exchange, one Parchment Writing; being an Order from the
Exchequer, bearing Date the 3d. of July last past, No. 1754. for the
payment of Nineteen Pound Ten Shillings per Ann. being due upon
a Banker's Assignment, principal Money being 650 l. payable to Mr.
William Wicks of Haselbeech in the County of Northampton: Who-
ever shall bring it to Mr. Robert Ekins, Pitch and Tarman upon St.
Mary Hill, or to Mr. Wicks the Apothecary at the Black-a-Moor's
Head upon Ludgate-Hill, shall have 10 s. Reward, payment being
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